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**MEMORANDUM FOR:** Major General Robert A. Schow  
Deputy G-2 (Foreign Operations)

**SUBJECT:** Intelligence on International Communism

**REFERENCE:** Memorandum of August 3, 1955 from  
Major General Robert A. Schow, Deputy G-2  
(Foreign Operations) to Chairman, IAC, on  
"Intelligence on International Communism"

1. Intelligence needs relating to international communism are of deepest concern to this Agency also. It is agreed that it would be desirable, as you propose, for the IAC to consider the establishment of a sub-committee to coordinate the efforts in this field. It is in connection with the USIA Survey, to which you refer, that CIA undertook discussions with the Department of State on the location of responsibility for and means to expand the production of intelligence on international communism. These discussions are now being concluded.

2. I propose to disseminate to the IAC in the near future for its consideration your memorandum together with my report on the outcome of the discussions between CIA and the State Department. We should be able to complete this report in time to permit consideration at the IAC meeting either on August 16 or 23.

**ALLEN W. DULLES**  
Director

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